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For: **AUTOMATED WINE CELLAR  
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Sir

Would you please commence early processing of the National Entry of the above identified application PCT AU05/00375 immediately. The International Filing Date is March 16<sup>th</sup> 2005. The priority date is March 16<sup>th</sup> 2004.

The basic fee, search fee, examination fee and the excess claims fee accompany this application. The declaration of each inventor is also filed with this application. The international bureau have advised us that the USPTO has been forwarded a copy of the International Application and Search Report. The International Application was filed in English.

Yours Sincerely

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